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THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B. DECEMBER 1 1900

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

other the national arms.

The death of Mrs. Bridget Keithlin widow of Mr. James Keithlin, occurred

Wednesday at her home, 25 St. Patrick street. She was a daughter of the late

Mr. James McNulty, of Kings county. Mrs. Keithlin was 79 years of age. Six children survive—two sons and four

Rev. W. J. Armitage, rural dean of Halifax, preached an able sermon in St. John's church Wednesday evening to a lar e congregation, taking for his text the words of Paul the apostle, found in Tim-

othy II-2-19: "Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, having the

seal: The Lord knoweth them that are

his. And, let every one that nameth the

ing was adjourned until Tuesday evening next. Mr. A. P. Barnhill appears for Mr.

Gault, and Recorder Skinger for the city.

The Atlantic express, due to arrive here

at noon Tuesday, did not get into the

depot until 12.30 o'clock this morning,

aving been delayed near Montreal on ac-

count of a number of tolegraph poles

night and did considerable damage to the telegraph lines. At a point near St. John's, Quebec, called Lacadie, over 20

poles and also a large number of trees were blown across the track. The Atku-tic express had a narrow, escape from

being derailed. A wrecking crew were

elegraph lines put in working order. Passengers arriving on the train early this

morning state that the wind was blow-ing almost a cyclone Monday night and

was accompanied by snow. Yesterday reports from along the line show that the

cather has been etxremely cold and there

has been frequent show squalls. The At lantic express on her arrival was covered

about 12.40 o'clock this morning and on her arrival at Halifax will immediately

net's wedding. A large party of friends

During the evening, which was very pleas-

Happenings of a day Concerning People, Places and Things, of more than Passing Interest.

The ladies of the Carleton Free Baptist tation to Mr. John Black, of Fredericton, church will hold their annual supper and sale in the Oddfellows' hall, West Side, grand lodge of Norway. The jewel bears on one side the monogram of King Oscar, grand master of Norway, and on the

Rev. Dr. G. O. Gates has received a call from the Baptist church at Windsor, N. S. Dr. Gates has the call under seri

Arthur Butt, of the schooner Abbie and

Eva Hooper, fell from the mainboom Monday night and injured his back. He went to the hospital yesterday. Bishop Casey confirmed 17 candidates at St. Columbia's church, Fredericton Junction, Monday, assisted by Rev.

Father McDermott, of Petersville. The bank clearings for the week end ing Thursday were \$688,433 as compared with \$572,283 in the corresponding week of last year. The balances were \$112,679

spector of Hulls Olive. The work will be finished in a few days and the boat will be placed in winter quarters. The business which has been very brisk on the river for the past summer is now about at a standstill and the steamer people are daily expecting the river to freeze over; a tug may possibly go up river on Saturday to take up some passengers. as compared with \$115,125. The congregation of Douglas avenue Christian church considering the resignation of their pastor, Rev. J. C. B. Appel, has decided to urge Rev. Mr. Appel to remain with them another year.

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Mr. James W. Ganong of Kiersteadville, Kings county, shipped Saturday by the Sprinfield one of E. Lenoard & Sons latest steam power outfits for his grist mill; he will thus depend upon water power no longer.

Officer Semple of the northern division has reported John B. Hawkes, Lewis P. McLean, Asa Smith, Alfonzo McGrenville, Caleb Parks and George Gale for doing business in the city as carpenters, they not being ratepayers. The men are at work in Indiantown.

Joseph Sinclair, aged 21, who hails from England, was locked up by Sergts. Kil-patrick and Caples yesterday afternoon on suspicion of stealing two lady's wrap pers and six pairs of cashmere hose from Isaac Komiensky's store on Mill street. The articles were found in Sinclair's pos-

1914 with 10 cents to the Victoria Candy and Fruit store, corner of Duke and Sydney streets, St. John, N. B., and receive a package of Downing's famous lemenade tablets. For making jellies, lemon cake pies and lemonade they have no equal.

In ame of Candy and The reverend gentleman dealt with the increasing criticism in this age of the scriptures and said many were wondering if they would stand the test. There could be no doubt, the believed, but that they would. No student of the times could fail to recognize the reconcilliation Cut this advertisement out and send ith 10 cents to the Victoria Candy and The reverend gentleman dealt with the pies and lemonade they have no equal.

Dr. A. B. Walker is preparing for publication a prospectus of his African color-ization scheme. He will have it finished in a few days for distribution, after which he intends to take the platform and lay his ideas before the people of Canada, the United States and England in a course of free lectures.

The chain of Sanuel Gault against the city of St. John for damages in consequence of the appropriation by the city of the waters of Spruce Fake and other lakes in the parish of Lancaster was taken up last evening at the city nall. Mr. Gault is the owner of about four hundred acres of land bordering on Menzie Lake, Ferman and Spruce Lake, Stram and Mr. D. P. Kent, the artesian well borer, Mr. D. P. Kent, the artesian well borer, has abandoned the effort to get good drinking water on Mr. Arthur McDon, ald's property at Woodman's Point. He artesian passes through or forms the boundary of his farm for a distance of about found but it had a mineral flaver. Mr. McDonald will have this analyzed

Mr. Hugh J. McCormack, of the Wil lows, is in the city because of the sudden death of his brother, Mr. Samuel Mc-Cormick of Douglas street, Tuesday night. for the priesthood, receiving word of his father's death. He will be home today and the funeral of Mr. McCormick will be held Friday.

faving been delayed near Montreal on account of a number of tolegraph poles which had been blown across the track. A heavy snow and wind storm prevailed

Before Justice Allingham at Fairville yesterday, a case against Michael Ryun, dharged with stealing coal, the property of the C. P. R., was resumed. The of-fence was admitted. Mr. H. F. Puddington, for the prosecution, said the railway did not desire that the boy be punished on account of his tender years. Mr. Allingham dismissed the boy with a warn-

The members of the Church of England, resident at Golden Grove, intend celebrating the festival of St. Andrew by dedicating to his memory, and consecta-ting to the service of God, a church to be known as St. Andrew's church. The Bishop of Fredericton will perform the service of consecration at 11 c'clock a. m. The proceeds of the offertory will be de-

The Atlantic Grindstone Company of Providence, R. I., who purchased the grindstone quarry at Lower Cove, N. S., ly increasing the output. The power will be supplied by two 125 horse power Muniford boilers and a 250 horse power Robb-Armstrong engine, which are being built by the Robb Engineering Company.

disc Row, was very badly and day afternoon and, at a late hour last might lay in an unconscious condition in this facther's home. Mr. Duncan, sr., owns black horse which has before caused troucle. It is the animal which injured the Bert Fleming some little time ago

Mr. J. Douglas Hazen returned home last night from Sunbury county, where he went to attend the trial before Justice Albury Grass at Waasis, of Martin Cogwell, charged with stabbing Alired Poor on election day at Oromoeto. Mr. Hazen is prosecuting, Mr. R. W. McLeilan represents the crown and Mr. A. J. Gregory sents the crown and Mr. A. J. Gregory sents the crown and Mr. A. J. Gregory the accused. Because of the absence of vitnesses the case was adjourned until the stall to put a pad on the horse's

riday.

In connection with the general change

In connection with the general change In connection with the general head. He was rendered unconscious by of time taking effect on the I. C. R. today, the 26th, it has been decided to reday, the 26th, it has been decided to reday, the 26th, it has been decided to reday, the 26th it has been decided to reday. tain the fast express trains between Halifax and Sydney. The hour of departure from Haliax will be 12.10, connection be-ing made at Truro with the Maritime express from Montreal as heretofore, and arriving at Sydney at 23.10. The fast express will leave Sydney at 9.30 and reach od him. It could not be said last hight

The committee of the common council appointed some months ago to deal with police matters were in session last evenpolice matters were in session last evening. Chief Clark was present and gave fire committee information respecting the at the home of Mr. Robert Garnet, Brusstrength of the force and his system of sels street. It was the occasion of the governing the body. During the meeting 20th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Garthe chief stated the force numerically was insufficient for the demands. Ald. Armstrong, who acted as chairman, Ald. them by calling in a body and assuming possession of their household temporarily. Director Wisely were present.

A neck jewel in gold and red enamel has been sent to Hon. Judge Forbes, grand master of Freemasons, for present

ANDREW G. BLAIR THE GUEST OF HIS FRIENDS AND SUPPORTERS.

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fancy the result of the election in Sc John has been an object lesson to the people of Canada, and when the wires population throughout the dominion therfully made clear that no corporation was greater than the power which had created

Teachings of the Fight.

"There are a few lessons it apepars to me that might with considerable advan-tage be abstracted from the events of the ast campaign. I think this campaign ha demonstrated that the Tory party never made a greater mis-take than when it undertook the advocacy of a particular side of a ques-tion simply because the Canadian Pacific demanded that they should take up that side of the question. The Tory party came into this constituency with the avowed declaration that the demand of the Can-The Star line steamer David Westons has almost finished repairs at the Hilyard blocks, North End. A number of planks have been put in her hull and she has been inspected, during the work, by Inspector of Hulls Olive. The work will be finished in a few days and the best will adian Pacific must be acceded to. Did
Mr. Foster stop to judge the question in
any of its bearings and find out what
were the real merits of the contrivoersy? I venture to say he did not. It was sufficient for him to know that the Canadian Pacific had made the demand. The Tory party has for the past four years taken the side of the Canadian Pacific upon M questions. When I proposed the exthe objection camer from the leader of that party, backed up by his lieutenants—Senator Ellis will support me in this view—that this policy was likely to injuriously affect in a business way the in terests of the grandian Pacific. The in terests of that railway are certainly enti-tled to every proper consideration, and while I have always been prepared to regard their interests, I could not turn aside nesit of the Intercolonial because that course happened to impinge upon the advantages enjoyed by the Canadian Parific. Mr. Foster, as the representative

Local Influences.

"I think a lesson might also be justly drawn from the recent contest by a ma-jorky of the members of the Common ouncil of the city of St. John. I believe counted of ane cay of set some 1 below the chart in a large measure they are responsible for the extreme action of the Canadian Pacific. At all events, that company would not have gone to such lengths if it had not been for the active (Cheers).

to project itself into dominion or pro-vincial contests inspired by political parmen for that purpose. They would have been well advised to drave abstained from encouraging Mr. Shanghnessy from taking this extreme stand toward the government of Canada. Why did they do it? Am I of Canada. Why did they do it? Am I doing the majority of that council an injustice when I express the suspicion that they were not so much moved by the civic interests involved as by those of a distinctly political character? One would have thought they would rather have been studying the existing contract between the city and the Capadian Pacific and the capadian Pacific assertioning what was was a question which they ignored as being worthy of less consideration than the political interests at stake. I hope the Common Council have learned a useful lesson from what has transpired, and I hope the people of the city of St. John n that section of the country Monday

The Opposition Press.

"There is another little circumstance, or a series of circumstances, to which I think I may properly refer. It is, that even the Tory newspapers might well have considered the matter before plunging into a controversy of this kind. I will not go beyond the organ of the Conservative party in this city. During the whole of that campaign the government was denounced, and I was denounced, while my opponents were defended, on the ground that I ought to surrender the interests of the Canadian Pacific. The Sun did this in the face of the fast that there was no assurance the city would avoid the calumitous consequences that it was said would follow my apping. You know very well that through its chief officer the Canadian Pacific declined to commit itself to the continuance of their winter port business. "There is another little circumstance, or a sent to the scene. After some hours hard work the tracks were cleared and the Pacific declined to commit itself to the continuance of their winter port business even if their deminds were acceded to. What followed? The elections came on, and the result was not agreeable to the gentleman on the officer side. Mr. Foster was turned down. A few days clapsed, and then we were told the winter port business was to be continued as before. What then become of the attitude of the Conservative press? A few weeks before they were insisting that at any sacrifice Mr. John Duncan, aged about 35, son of Mr. Archibald Duncan, grocer of 55 Para-Conservative mess? A few weeks before they were insisting that at any sacrification we should yield to the demands of the Canadan Pacific, and now they are complaining that the government in bringing business to St. John is going to lose \$8,000 or \$10,000. Compare this with the position which was taken before the election. I would imagine that the lesson ought to have been drawn by the opposition press in this community which would ought to have been crawn by the opposi-tion press in this community which would have led them to fold down their heads in shame, and their the results which have recently transpired would have led-rhem to abstain at all hazards from making any further references to business. lins, one of the J. C. R. messengers, found him. Blood flowed profusely from the wound in his head. He was carried to his

The Government Has Not. Yielded. "I would not carry this subject on step finisher tonight if I were not compelled to do so by references which have recently appeared in the Tory presidere. It has been said that the anouncement which was recently made by the Canadian Pacific was the result of members to the considered down by the premise from various parts of the city surprised

is my frame of mind, I feel that after winning the victory I gave them all the punishment I wanted to inflict upon them. (Cheers). I want to do with them and for them, and I say it in the most public manner possible, whatever I can properly and rightly do in the interests of this country. My references tonight are dragged from me, because I cannot allow the impression to go abroad that the premier or my colleagues have changed the impression to go abroad that the premier or my colleagues have changed and when St. John There was room for two, and when St. John's trade had grown a little could be sent to St. Andrews and he hoped Mr. Blair would help in this. He colosed his bright speech by expressions of his pleasure at being present. the impression to go abroad that the premier or my colleagues have changed my attitude upon this question, or that it is changed. (Cheers). If the Canadian Pacific desired its interests to be served here in the best possible way it would have been well if the opposition press had been muzzled, rather than that any declaration should have been forced from me. I do not want to make things uncomfortable for my opponents in this

sentative members of the Board of Trade and other gentlemen representing an imadvising him in a certain direction, you cannot be surprised that he should have been misled into the view that there was representative of St. John was one that then. He was deceyed. I say therefore that I do not blame the Canadian Pacific as much as I blame others nearer home. (Cheers). I am willing to make some allowance for him under these circumstances. There is no reason why the Canadian Pacific and the Intercolonial should not stand in the friendliest relations toward one another. I think we tions toward one another. I think we have many interests in common, and we containly be true if the policy of the government is carried out, and I feel that it

Canadian Politics.

The minister then gave a hurried out-tine of the existing situation. The his-tory of Canadian development might pro-First, there was the time occupied in the consolidation of the British North-Amercan provinces. Second, there was the period during which, whether by methods development of Canada was sought to be brought about. The spirit of that move-ment was high protection. Whether or not when the Liberal party came into power. The central thought which had animated the incoming administration had been the higher development of Canada by bringwhen the Liberal party came into power. The central thought which had animated the incoming administration had been the higher development of Canada by bringing it into closer contact with the interests and life of the Empire. Connected with this policy was the great problem of transportation, under which better facilities were to be provided for carrying the products of the great west through Canadian channels to Canadian sea-ports. Mr. Blair so aptly summed up by the Emir then painted a glowing pacture of the characteristics of Hon. Mr. Blair so aptly summed up by the Times. Referring to the provincial governdian channels to Canadan sea-ports. Mr. Blair then painted a glowing picture of the enormous possibilities of the west in the production of mineral and food products, and he expressed the confident conviction that in years near at hand the traffic which would be developed in that quarter would be fully equal to the capacity of both the Canadian Pacific and the Intercolonial. To insure that traffic for Canadian channels he hinted at the probability of extending the government railway system to the Great Lakes.

In conclusion, the minister alluded to his

ability of extending the government rate way system to the Great Lakes.

In conclusion, the minister olluded to his gratification of seeing so many young men around the tables. That fact was full of great promise for the Liberal party. He thought it only natural that the young men of Canada should attach themselves to the progressive party now in power rather than to the disintegrated and work. It had been charged on the connection with the polling in that in connection with the polling in that the true feeling of the ward ont Conservative party. He desired to thank the young men of St. John for the part they had taken in the recent struggic, and after referring humorously to the present efforts of the Conservative party to and after referring humorously to the present efforts of the Conservative party to and a leader he briefly touched upon Mr. Foster's nomination day speech, in which that gentleman had pictured the wanderlings of the minister of railways up and down the province in 1896 in search of a seat. He fancied Mr. Foster would not have presented that search in such a hu-miliating aspect if he had been able to foreste his present position. (Laughter). Not only was he turned in his search for a constituency from the province of New Branswick, but he was wandering far f.om home and apparently with poor success. Again Mr. Blair returned his heartfelt thanks to his friends in the North End

The House of Commons.

Capt. D. Tapley then proposed the House of Commons, coupling with the toast the name of Mr. R. E. Armstrong, Libert for the excellence of their work in con-

Mr. Armstrong, who was warmly rediere. It has been said that the announcement which was recently made by the Canadian Pacific was the result of my having been turned down by the premier and my colleagues. The implication was made that the stand which I had taken had been abandoned, and in view of that implication I am bound to refer to the matter in my own defence. I did not matter the contest was over to say made that the stand which I had taken had been abandoned, and in view of that implication I am bound to refer to the matter in my own defence. I did not propose after the contest was over to say anything at all that would in the slightest degree appear to be in a spirit of exultating to the Canadian Pacific I am prepared in the administration of the office which I have the honor to hold to treat the Canadian Pacific in all its interests and upon all questions that may arise as if they had not fought me to the death on the seventh of November. That

his pleasure at being present.

Mr. Robert Ross sang a solo, a clever adaptation of "By Your Side" to recent political events. It was heartily applauded and encored. Mr. J. V. Russell proposed the Senate

coupled with the name of Senator Ellis. Mr. Ellis was greeted with cheers. He said it was the first time on such an occurroversy; but I cannot allow myself to be placed in any false position, and I want to say that it is not correct to at in a Montreal paper an article asking in a Montreal paper an article asking how long it would be before members would die to make room for new ones, want to say that it is not correct to altribute to the premier or my colleagues
any intention to have me yield in my attitude upon this question. They have
not done so; they have not tried to do
it. I had not even heard of it until 1
read it in the paper. I am, of course;
willing at all times to negotiate with the
Correlies mean any matter affect. senate to go out by death but that the present members who have been somewilling at all tames to negotiate with the Canadian Pacific upon any matter affecting their interests and in a perfectly friendly way. I would go out of my way to meet them in such a spirit; but I am not going to surrender what I have always contended were the vital interests of the Intercolonial, or to recede from the position I have publicly taken. (Cheers).

Mr. Shaughnessy Encouraged.

"I do not much wonder at the attitude which Mr. Shaughnessy was led to take which Mr. Shaughnessy was led to take the interfered with by the senate and thought that senators, for mere political reasons, should not go against a government that was doing well. He expressed his delight at being present to do honor to the minister of railways and canals. Mr. Blair had made reference to the young men and he was glad to see "I do not much wonder at the attitude which Mr. Shaughnessy was led to take towards the government in connection with this winter port question. He was badly advised. I have already hinted to you that I do not betieve he would have taken it if it had not been for the action of the Common Council and other public men in this city. I do not think he has been as much to blame as they. I do not wonder that when he found men in prominent representative capacities hurrying to Montreal and encouraging him to make these demands upon the government that he took a stand which he would not have taken in the exercise of his own judgment. Winch, however, he found representative members of the Board of Trade, sentiative members of the Board of Trade, evived a maioritiky. In the northern secmatters along well and the Liberals re-

tion of the city the Liberal vote since representative of St. John was one that was very difficult to fill and one reason was that both St. John and Halifax were sea ports open all the year round and many questions were brought up thereby. He knew that when Mr. Black offered again in the city of St. John he would feel more comfortable than ever, having been so ably supported. Mr. Ellis said that when he retired he went out of par-

tory. He felt St, John was now Liberal

to the core, because it was impossible, when the wards get down to work, for

names of the younger men to the lists and to the Liberals party. He said the

local government was in excellent shape at present and was deserving of St. John's

a few words expressive of his personal

have many interests in common, and we have not necessarily any grounds for antagonism. The field is going to be broad always done his best. As members of the emergin and productive enough to afford be, we must remember, he said, that a minister of the crown had a duty to perevery occasion. He thanked the committee for their kind invitation and closed his address amid loud applause. The male quartette then sung another number which was bright with positical hits. Then Mr. Henry Maher proposed the Provincial Government. In his brief speech he referred to the great support given than Mr. Blair in the large election.

Christian Temperance Union. Mr. H. Gaskin then gave an Hon. H. A. McKeown responded: The local government was closely connected dominion, he said. He spoke of the extract had been so thoroughly well carried that had been so thoroughly well carried the local government. Mr. Blair had been some four years in the larger field of do: minion politics and during that time the dominion's attention had been largely centered upon the way in which he carried forward the work of the difficult Times. Referring to the provincial govern-Mr. A. T. Bustin presided at the piano ment, Hon. Mr. McKeown spoke of the last local election and of the manner in which its results had exemplified the benefits of ward work. He also spoke of

in the musical portion of the programme. the good effect that the results in the North End wards had in making the vic-

· Elderly Bridegroom.

with much interest for the result in Vic-toria ward in the late dominion contest, where it was impossible to prevent the free casting of the ballot. It was found that Victoria ward stood firm and true

by his guests.

High and low they looked. Every noo to Liberal principles and gave practically a Liberal vote. This showed the benefits and corner was searched, but no suspend ers were in sight. The hour for the wedof organization and it was a good and proper movement resolved on, the organding arrived, but the sweat of desperation evening. He enlarged on the benefits of such organization and the addition of the

"I can't go without them," he wailed. "for I never walked a block without suspenders in my life."

"Here take mine," suddenly exclaimed one of his friends, and in an instant be had jerked off his suspenders and handed them over to the nearly distracted man, who immediately began to put them on.

"Take off your vest first," said the friend was a long over to the research when the the present and was deserving of St. John's the artiest support, (Applause.) He culogized Mr. D. J. Purdy's representation of St. John in the house and his watchful care for the interests of the North End. He praised the ladies of the W. C. T. U. for the excellence of their work in corresponding to the contract of th

on and spoke briefly. He was pleased to be present. He spoke of the local government's agricultural policy inaugurated by Hon. H. R. Emmerson and said he bear and hoarseness with their attendant danger may be speedly averted and remedied by



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Mr. William Lanyon sang in splendie tyle a patriotic song which was loudly

Ald. Thomas Hilyard then proposed the Ward Workers in a brief speech. The toast was heartly drunk. Mr. Thomas McAvity was the first to respond. spoke of the Liberal executive and it composition. He spoke of the benefit of ward committees where work had shows in the result of the elections. He urged the carrying on of the organization resolved on at this gathering.

Mr. J. H. Doody, as one of the executive, spoke briefly and Messrs. W. G.

recitation which was loudly applauded and was followed by a sole sung by Mc George Delay. Mr. Blair then asked to: be permitted to add one more toast those already drunk—that to the char chairman hearthy for the country shows Chairman Hilyard responded briefly thanking Hon. Mr. Blair for his kind re marks, and said that he would be end too ready and willing on any future ed easion during an election to aid the Lib eral workers for the interest of good government. Mr. Frank Watson then favored the party with a song. Mr. Armstrong, of St. Andrews, moved a vote of thanks to the singers and this was tendered by the chairman. After singual Aud Lang Syne the party broke up with

HIS MISSING SUSPENDERS. Terrible Predicament of an Excitable and

But all who stood at the ward on the election day knew how unfair and false such a statement was. He had looked such a statement was. He had looked such a statement was. He had looked with the court in View exclaim: "Where the devil are my sustaints of the court of

"Don't know," was the answer in chorus. The elderly gentleman van about in avain search and soon was being assisted

was on the brow of the man who should at that time have been leading his blushing bride to the altar.
"I can't go without them," he wailed.

toast the name of Mr. R. E. Armstrong, Lib-toast the name of Mr. R. E. Armstrong, Lib-eral candidate in Charlotte county in the nection with this dinner and closed with vest was removed the missing suspenders pleasure in attendance.

Mr. D. J. Purdy, M. P. P., was called have been—over his shoulders—[Atlanta

CANADIAN COMMANDERS.

Reports from the Infantry, Mounted Rifles.

and Artillery. Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 27-(Special) Reports were received today at the militia partment from officers commanding in

Cel. Ofter's diary covers from October, 13th to 19th, and is dated from Silverton. cutive, spoke briefly and Messrs. W. G. ferring to reculistment of the men Col. Scovil and T. A. Linton also made a few Otter says: "On the 15th I had a parade emarks.

Mr. George R. Craigie and Mr. Hugh of the non-commissioned officers and men of 'A' and 'B' companies, whose period of was responded to by Mr. Richard O'Erien, Mr. E. Codner, Mr. E. S. Carter and The Telegraph representative. A solo was ably sung by Mr. Robert Ritchie. The chairman, in a happy speech, called for the toast to the Ladies and this was well responded to by Messis. E. H. McAlpine and J. Fraser Gregory, who paid a high tribute to the work of the Weinen's Captain McDonald reported that his men were desirons to return home. The men said that the wishes of the men would be complied with Number 7937, Private M. Crook, obtained a commission in the 4th Royal Warwickshire; Number 7364, J. Me-Gee, was given a commission in R. F. A.; Number 7253. R. D. Wigham, a commission in the First Lanark Fusiliers. Col. Otter said he had located all the graves but that of 7655, R. Leoculer, who was thrown from the train going to Cape

Fown.
Lieut. A.H. King, commanding the Royal Canadian Dragoons sends his diary, dated the 21st, and reports that the following were granted discharges: Privates C. Marsh, W. L. Evans, G. Reid, W.R. Head Marsh, W. J. Evans G. Reid, W. K. Head,
W. J. Reid, R. Dinismore, R. McIntyre
and J. Jefferson, General Hutton took occaston to express admiration for the
Canadians work. An order issued says cheers for the Queen, the premier, the steadiness under fire, by their gallantry in the field and by their uniform good conduct in camp. The mutual sympathy, admiration and good will which have been so conspicuous with thet the imperial and colonial troops must be condeive to unity and solidity of feeling so essential to the success of the army end the British empire. The parade state shows 133 effec-

tive and 73 sick.

Col. Evans' report is dated Middleburg,
October 23rd, and shows 156 on parade and 117 sick A report from Captain Panets, "

Society Elections.

The annual meeting of the Historical society was held Tuesday evening, in their rooms. Market Building. The following cers were elected: Br. Inches, president.
Rev. W. C. Gaynor, vice-president.
Jonas Howe, 2nd vice-president.

C. Ward, secretary.
D. R. Jack, cor. secretary.
G. A. Henderson, librarian.
Rev. W. O. Raymond, S. D. Scott, W.
Dole, Col. Cunard, and George U. Hay,

Rev. T. C. Phillips was elected a member. A resolution of condolence was passed in reference to the death of Dr. John

A paper on "Avadian Settlements of Caymond.

C. M. B. A. took place Tuesday evening in their rooms, Furlong building, Charlotte street. The following officers were nomi-

Thomas Kickham, chancellor. M. D. Sweeney, president.
James Slattery, 2nd vice-president.
J. J. Mullin, rec. secretary.

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Samuel Patterson, assistant secretary.
Fred Power, financial secretary.
Friorence McCarthy, treasurer.
James McMullin, guard.
James McMullin, guard.
John L. Carleton, Pattrick Tole, Patrick
Jennings and Dennis McGrath, trustees,
The following delegates to the C. M. B.
A. convention to be held at Niagars in
August, 1901, were nominated: Mr. Thos.
Kickham, P. Tole and Thomas Gorman.
The election of officers will take place
next Tuesday evening.